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*Description:* ff. 247 - Eighteenth-century sheep. - Acquired by the Bancroft Library UC Berkeley from Sotheby's (23 June, 1998, lot 68).

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 24

*Direct Link:* [http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BANCMSUCB167\\_1](http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BANCMSUCB167_1)

*Language:* Latin; French *Country:* France *Century:* 15th

**Part 1:** ff. 1r-247v

*Description:* - Parchment - 126 x 87 mm - 12 long lines ruled in ink.

*Country:* France

*Cardinal point:* western

*Region:*

*City:* Angers (?)

*Assigned Date:* s. XV<sup>2</sup>

*Searchable Date Range:* 1450 - 1499

*Dated by scribe:* No

*Inscribed Date:*

*Document:* No

*Number of Scribes:* Several.

*Script:* Bâtarde.

*Figurative Decoration:* 1 unfinished miniature; 3 large miniatures added ca. 1500 in spaces originally left blank; offsets from 5 excised miniatures.

*Other Decoration:* Large initials in burnished gold on red and blue grounds with white tracery; some initials finished at a later date in a different style.

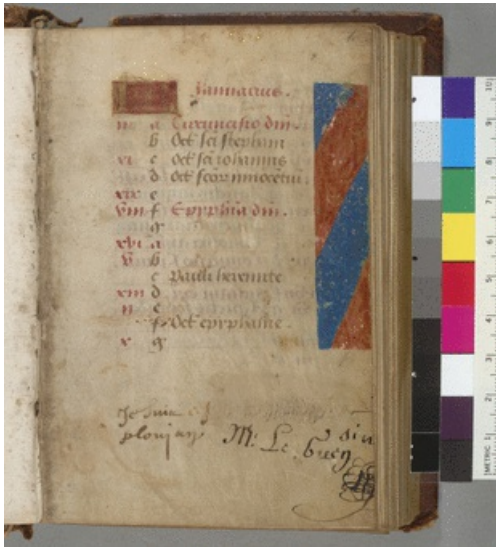
*Notes:* Several leaves missing; decoration in various stages of completion.

*Number of Texts:* 1

**Text 1:** ff. 1r-247r

*Title:* Book of Hours

*Language(s):* Latin; French



f. 1r Calendar; Saint Julian, first bishop of Le Mans in red.

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ff. 12v-13r Offset from annunciation miniature and border from leaf that is now missing.

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ff. 23v-24r Large initial "O" completed in a different style.

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ff. 24v-25r Large initial "E" completed in a different style; border styles of rectos and versos designed as mirror images of each other (see border of f. 24r).

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f. 39v Unfinished initial.

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f. 46r Unfinished miniature: the Visitation.

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f. 75r Miniature: the Scourging of Christ.

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ff. 61v-62r Offset from excised miniature.

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f. 69v Offset from excised miniature.

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f. 76v Unfinished miniature and initial.

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*f. 91r* Unfinished miniature.

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*f. 81v* Miniature: the Carrying of the Cross.

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f. 96v Unfinished text added in a later hand.

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ff. 114v-115r Litany with several styles of line filler.

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ff. 119v-120r Change of hand.

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ff. 123v-124r Change of hand; offset from excised miniature: the Ascension or Last Judgment.

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f. 137v Unfinished border.

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ff. 134v-135r Completed ruling and border without text.

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f. 191r Unfinished border.

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f. 191v Unfinished border.

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ff. 215v-216r Prayers in French;  
catchword.

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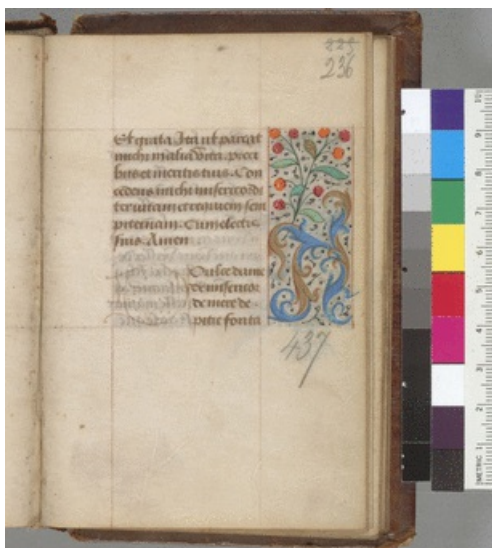
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f. 229r Miniature: Virgin and Child  
Enthroned.

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f. 236r Unfinished initial; prayer in French.

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f. 246r Text ends imperfectly.

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